

SENATE AMENDMENTS

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By: Hunter

H.B. No. 2025

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to certain statutes and governmental actions that relate to the federal census.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 2058.001(b), Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) A governmental entity shall recognize and act on a published report or count relating to a federal decennial census and released by the director of the Bureau of the Census of the United States Department of Commerce on the later of:

(1) ~~[on] September 1 of the year after the calendar year during which the census was taken [if the report or count is published on or before that date]; or~~

(2) ~~[on] the first day of the first calendar month occurring after the 150th day after the date of the [its] publication of the report or count [if the report or count is published after September 1 of the year after the calendar year during which the census was taken].~~

SECTION 2. Subchapter A, Chapter 2058, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 2058.0021 to read as follows:

Sec. 2058.0021. APPLICABILITY OF 2010 FEDERAL CENSUS; TEMPORARY PROVISION. (a) A statute that applies to a political subdivision having a certain population according to the most recent federal census:

1 (1) continues to apply to the same political
2 subdivisions to which the statute applied under the 2010 federal
3 census, regardless of whether the political subdivisions continue
4 to have the population prescribed by the statute according to the
5 2020 federal census; and

6 (2) does not apply to a political subdivision to which
7 the statute did not apply under the 2010 federal census, regardless
8 of whether the political subdivision has the population prescribed
9 by the statute according to the 2020 federal census.

10 (b) This section expires September 1, 2023.

11 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
12 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
13 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
14 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
15 Act takes effect September 1, 2021.

ADOPTED

MAY 25 2021

By: Joan Huffman

Lacey Spaw
Secretary of the Senate

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Substitute the following for ___ .B. No. _____:

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C.S. H.B. No. 2025

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(2) ~~on~~ the first day of the first calendar month occurring after the 150th day after the date of the [its] publication of the report or count ~~[if the report or count is published after September 1 of the year after the calendar year during which the census was taken]~~.

SECTION 2. Section 2058.002, Government Code, is amended by adding Subsections (c), (d), and (e) to read as follows:

(c) Nothing in this chapter prohibits the legislature from acting on published reports and counts described by Section 2058.001(b) and relating to the 2020 federal decennial census, regardless of the date the reports or counts are published.

1 (d) Notwithstanding any other law, the commissioners court
2 of a county may act on published reports or counts described by
3 Section 2058.001(b) and relating to the 2020 federal decennial
4 census, and any information provided by the state relating to
5 redistricting based on those reports or counts, in carrying out the
6 commissioners court's duties under Chapter 42, Election Code, with
7 respect to establishing or changing election precincts, regardless
8 of the date the reports or counts are published or the information
9 is provided or any required period for those duties as provided by
10 law.

11 (e) This subsection and Subsections (c) and (d) expire
12 September 1, 2023.

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14 adding Section 2058.0021 to read as follows:

15 Sec. 2058.0021. APPLICABILITY OF 2010 FEDERAL CENSUS;
16 TEMPORARY PROVISION. (a) Except as expressly provided by other law
17 and notwithstanding the definition of "population" in Sections
18 311.005 and 312.011, a statute that applies to a political
19 subdivision having a certain population according to the most
20 recent federal census:

21 (1) continues to apply to the same political
22 subdivisions to which the statute applied under the 2010 federal
23 census, regardless of whether the political subdivisions continue
24 to have the population prescribed by the statute according to the
25 2020 federal census; and

26 (2) does not apply to a political subdivision to which
27 the statute did not apply under the 2010 federal census, regardless

1 of whether the political subdivision has the population prescribed
2 by the statute according to the 2020 federal census.

3 (b) This section expires September 1, 2023.

4 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
5 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
6 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
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8 Act takes effect September 1, 2021.

LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD

Austin, Texas

FISCAL NOTE, 87TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

May 27, 2021

TO: Honorable Dade Phelan, Speaker of the House, House of Representatives

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB2025 by Hunter (Relating to certain statutes and governmental actions that relate to the federal census.), **As Passed 2nd House**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

It is assumed that any costs associated with the bill's provisions relating to certain statutes and governmental actions that relate to the federal census could be absorbed using existing resources.

Local Government Impact

According to the Texas Association of Counties, no significant fiscal impact to counties is anticipated.

Source Agencies: 103 Legislative Council, 304 Comptroller of Public Accounts, 307 Secretary of State, 601 Department of Transportation, 701 Texas Education Agency

LBB Staff: JMc, CMA, SLE, DPE, SMAT

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Austin, Texas

FISCAL NOTE, 87TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

May 22, 2021

TO: Honorable Joan Huffman, Chair, Senate Committee on Jurisprudence

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: **HB2025** by Hunter (relating to certain statutes and governmental actions that relate to the federal census.), **Committee Report 2nd House, Substituted**

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FISCAL NOTE, 87TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

May 19, 2021

TO: Honorable Joan Huffman, Chair, Senate Committee on Jurisprudence

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB2025 by Hunter (Relating to certain statutes and governmental actions that relate to the federal census.), **As Engrossed**

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FISCAL NOTE, 87TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

April 13, 2021

TO: Honorable Chris Paddie, Chair, House Committee on State Affairs

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB2025 by Hunter (Relating to certain statutes and governmental actions that relate to the federal census.), **As Introduced**

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